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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A compound of formula I

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
N & N \\
N & N
\end{array}$$
 $\begin{array}{c|c}
R^1 \\
R^2
\end{array}$

in which the substituents are as defined below:

 R^1 is C_2 - C_{12} -alkenyl or C_2 - C_{12} -alkynyl, where the carbon chains are unsubstituted or carry one to three identical or different groups R^a and/or R^b :

[[or]]

 C_1 - C_{14} -alkyl, C_1 - C_{12} -alkoxy- C_1 - C_{12} -alkyl, C_1 - C_6 -alkoxy- C_2 - C_{12} -alkynyl, where the carbon chains carry one to three identical or different groups R^a ;

R^a is halogen, cyano, nitro, hydroxyl, C₁-C₆-alkylthio, C₃-C₁₂-alkenyloxy, C₃-C₁₂-alkynyloxy, [[or]]

C₃-C₆-cycloalkyl which may carry one to four identical or different groups R^b;

R^b is C₁-C₄-alkyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxy, C₁-C₆-alkylthio, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy and C₃-C₆-alkynyloxy;

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where the carbon chains of the groups R^a for their part may be halogenated;

 R^2 is C_1 - C_{12} -alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} -alkenyl or C_2 - C_{12} -alkynyl, where the carbon chains are substituted by one to three groups R^c :

R^c is cyano, nitro, hydroxyl; or C₃-C₆-cycloalkyl which may carry one to four identical or different groups C₁-C₄-alkyl, halogen, cyano, nitro, hydroxyl, C₁-C₆-alkoxy, C₁-C₆-alkylthio, C₃-C₆-alkenyloxy or C₃-C₆-alkynyloxy.

2. - 5.(Cancelled).

- 6. (Previously Presented) The compound of the formula I according to claim 1 in which R^1 and R^2 together do not have more than 14 carbon atoms.
- 7. (Cancelled).
- 8. (Previously Presented) The compound of the formula I according to claim 1 in which R² is methyl, ethyl, isopropyl, n-propyl or n-butyl.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The compound of the formula I according to claim 1: 6-(3-bromopropyl) 5-ethyl [1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-7-ylamine; 6-(3-chloropropyl) 5-ethyl [1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-7-ylamine;

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6-(7-amino-5-ethyl-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-6-yl)-hexanenitrile;

6-(7-amino-5-propyl-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-6-yl)-hexanenitrile;

5-ethyl-6-hex-5-enyl-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-7-ylamine;

6-hex-5-enyl-5-methyl-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-7-ylamine;

5-methyl-6-(5,6,6-trifluorohex-5-enyl)-[1,2,4]triazolo[1,5-a]pyrimidin-7-ylamine.

(Withdrawn) A process for preparing compounds of the formula I according to claim 1 10. wherein β -ketoesters of the formula II,

$$RO$$
 R^{1}
 R^{2}
 R^{2}
 R^{2}

in which R is C₁-C₄-alkyl are reacted with 3-amino-1,2,4-triazole of the formula III

$$N \longrightarrow N H_2$$
 III

to give 7-hydroxytriazolopyrimidines of the formula IV

$$N - N = R^1$$

which are halogenated to give compounds of the formula V

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 & \text{Hal} \\
 & \text{N} \\
 & \text{N} \\
 & \text{N} \\
 & \text{R}^2
\end{array}$$

in which Hal is chlorine or bromine and V is reacted with ammonia.

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11. (Withdrawn) A process for preparing compounds of the formula I according to claim 1 wherein acylcyanides of the formula VI,

$$R^1$$
 VI R^2

are reacted with 3-amino-1,2,4-triazole of the formula III.

- 12. (Withdrawn) A compound of the formula IV or V according to claim 10.
- 13. (Withdrawn) A process for preparing compounds of the formula I according to claim 1 in which R¹ is halogen-substituted C₁-C₁₄-alkyl, C₁-C₁₂-alkoxy-C₁-C₁₂-alkyl, C₂-C₁₂-alkenyl or C₂-C₁₂-alkynyl, by halogenating triazolopyrimidines of the formula VII,

$$R$$
 R R R

in which R is C_1 - C_{14} -alkyl, C_1 - C_{12} -alkoxy- C_1 - C_{12} -alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} -alkenyl, C_2 - C_{12} -alkynyl, where the carbon chains may carry one to three groups R^a as set forth in claim 1, using a halogenating agent in the presence of a free-radical initiator or an acid.

- 14. (Previously Presented) A fungicidal composition comprising a solid or liquid carrier and a compound of the formula I according to claim 1.
- 15. (Withdrawn) Seed comprising a compound of the formula I according to claim 1 in an amount of 1 to 1000 g per 100 kg.

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16. (Withdrawn) A method for controlling phytopathogenic harmful fungi wherein the fungi or the materials, plants, the soil or seed to be protected against fungal attack are treated with an effective amount of a compound of the formula I according to claim 1.